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The Honorable Mike Green, Chair Senate Subcommittee on Appropriations: Natural Resources 805 Farnum Building P.O. Box 30036 Lansing, Michigan 48909-7536

The Honorable Tom Casperson, Chair Senate Committee on Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes 705 Farnum Building P.O. Box 30036 Lansing, Michigan 48909-7536 The Honorable Jon Burnstead, Chair House Subcommittee on Appropriations: Natural Resources S-1289 House Office Building P.O. Box 30014 Lansing, Michigan 48909-7514

The Honorable Andrea LaFontaine, Chair House Committee on Natural Resources N-796 House Office Building P.O. Box 30014 Lansing, Michigan 48909-7514

Dear Senators Green and Casperson and Representatives Bumstead and LaFontaine:

Pursuant to Section 504(3) of PA 451 of 1994, as amended, the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is required to submit an annual report identifying the location and acreage of department-controlled land previously open to hunting that was closed to hunting during the previous year. As defined in Section 504(3) of PA 451 of 1994, no department-controlled lands previously open to hunting were closed to hunting for the one-year period ending March 1, 2013.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely.

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